#### OLD WORLD FLYCATCHERS

[Northern Wheatear]\*

- OLD WORLD SPARROWS
- House Sparrow

#### PIPITS

American Pipit Spraque's Pipit

#### FINCHES

- Brambling\* Evening Grosbeak Pine Grosbeak [Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch]\* House Finch Purple Finch Cassin's Finch Common Redpoll Red Crossbill White-winged Crossbill Pine Siskin Lesser Goldfinch
- LONGSPURS

# Lapland Longspur

Chestnut-collared Longspur Smith's Longspur Thick-billed Longspur

American Goldfinch

Snow Bunting

## SPARROWS

0	Cassin's Sparrow
E	Bachman's Sparrow*
	Grasshopper Sparrow
	Black-throated Sparrow
	ark Sparrow
	ark Bunting
	Chipping Sparrow
	Clay-colored Sparrow
	Field Sparrow
	Brewer's Sparrow
	Fox Sparrow
	merican Tree Sparrow
	Dark-eyed Junco
	ellow-eyed Junco*
	Vhite-crowned Sparrow
	Golden-crowned Sparrow
	larris's Sparrow
V	Vhite-throated Sparrow
s	Sagebrush Sparrow*
\	/esper Sparrow
	eConte's Sparrow
	lelson's Sparrow
	Baird's Sparrow
	lenslow's Sparrow
	Savannah Sparrow
	Song Sparrow
	incoln's Sparrow
	Swamp Sparrow

Canvon Towhee\* Rufous-crowned Sparrow Green-tailed Towhee Spotted Towhee Eastern Towhee

#### CHATS

Yellow-breasted Chat

## **BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES**

- Yellow-headed Blackbird Bobolink Eastern Meadowlark Western Meadowlark Orchard Oriole Hooded Oriole\* Bullock's Oriole **Baltimore Oriole** Scott's Oriole\* Red-winged Blackbird Bronzed Cowbird\* Brown-headed Cowbird Rusty Blackbird Brewer's Blackbird Common Grackle
- Great-tailed Grackle

#### WARBLERS

- Ovenbird Worm-eating Warbler Louisiana Waterthrush Northern Waterthrush Golden-winged Warbler Blue-winged Warbler Black-and-white Warbler Prothonotary Warbler Swainson's Warbler\* Tennessee Warbler Orange-crowned Warbler Nashville Warbler Virginia's Warbler Connecticut Warbler MacGillivrav's Warbler Mourning Warbler Kentucky Warbler Common Yellowthroat Hooded Warbler American Redstart Cape May Warbler Cerulean Warbler Northern Parula Magnolia Warbler Bay-breasted Warbler Blackburnian Warbler Yellow Warbler Chestnut-sided Warbler Blackpoll Warbler Black-throated Blue Warbler Palm Warbler Pine Warbler
- Yellow-rumped Warbler

Yellow-throated Warbler Scarlet Tanager Prairie Warbler Western Tanager Black-throated Gray Warbler Northern Cardinal Townsend's Warbler Pyrrhuloxia\* Hermit Warbler\* Black-throated Green Warbler Canada Warbler Blue Grosbeak Wilson's Warbler Lazuli Bunting Painted Redstart\* Indigo Bunting Painted Bunting **GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS** Dickcissel

Hepatic Tanager\*

Summer Tanager

The taxonomic sequence and nomenclature used in this list follow the Check-list of North American Birds, 7th edition, American Ornithologists Union, 1998, updated through the 64th Supplement, 2023, Ornithology, 2023, 140, 1-11, 6 July 2023, https://doi.org/10.1093/ornithology/ ukad023

A record for Taiga/Tundra Bean Goose (Anser fabalis/Anser serrirostris) was accepted in 2020. However, since it wasn't accepted at the species level it will not be added to the KOS Check-list at this time.

Of the 486 species documented to have occurred in Kansas as of March 2024, four species are not included in this list because they no longer occur in the state. The Passenger Pigeon and Carolina Parakeet are extinct, the Eskimo Curlew is probably extinct and the Gunnison Sage-Grouse has been extirpated from the state. Ten species on the list, although convincingly documented, records have yet to be substantiated with physical evidence and are therefore designated as hypothetical and listed in square brackets ([]). Birds so noted, or those noted with this symbol (\*) indicating less than ten confirmed records, or species not on this checklist, should be reported to the Kansas Bird Records Committee (KBRC). Physical evidence, such as recognizable photographs, video or audio recordings, is highly desirable. The procedure for reporting birds to the KBRC can be found at https://www.ksbirds.org/kos/ kos kbrc.htm.

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Notes:

# Rose-breasted Grosbeak Black-headed Grosbeak

### WHISTLING-DUCKS Black-bellied Whistling-Duck Fulvous Whistling-Duck

Wind

#### GEESE, SWANS

- Snow Goose
- Ross's Goose Greater White-fronted Goose
- Brant
- Cackling Goose
- Canada Goose
- Trumpeter Swan
- Tundra Swan

#### DUCKS

Date

Sky

Locality

Observers

Total Species

- Wood Duck Garganev\*
- Blue-winded Teal
- Cinnamon Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- Gadwall
- Eurasian Wideon
- American Wigeon
  - Mallard
- Mexican Duck\*
- American Black Duck Mottled Duck
- Northern Pintail
- Green-winged Teal
- Canvasback
- Redhead
- **Ring-necked Duck**
- [Tufted Duck]\* Greater Scaup
- Lesser Scaup
- King Eider\*
- Common Eider\*
- Harlequin Duck\*
- Surf Scoter White-winged Scoter
- Black Scoter
- Long-tailed Duck
- Bufflehead
- Common Goldeneye
- Barrow's Goldeneve
- Hooded Merganser
- Common Merganser Red-breasted Merganser
- Ruddy Duck

# Chimney Swift

White-throated Swift\*

# KANSAS ORNITHOLOGICAL SOCIETY **BIRDS OF KANSAS**

Time

Temp

# **Total Individuals** [] Hypothetical species \* Fewer than ten records QUAIL Northern Bobwhite Scaled Quail TURKEY, GROUSE, PHEASANT Wild Turkev Ruffed Grouse Sharp-tailed Grouse Greater Prairie-Chicken Lesser Prairie-Chicken **Ring-necked Pheasant** FLAMINGOS American Flamingo\*

Ground

#### GREBES

- Pied-billed Grebe Horned Grebe
- Red-necked Grebe
- Eared Grebe
- Western Grebe Clark's Grebe

#### PIGEONS, DOVES Rock Pigeon

- Band-tailed Pigeon\*
- Eurasian Collared-Dove
  - Inca Dove
- Common Ground-Dove White-winged Dove
- Mourning Dove

#### CUCKOOS

- Groove-billed Ani Greater Roadrunner
- Yellow-billed Cuckoo
- Black-billed Cuckoo

#### NIGHTJARS

- [Lesser Nighthawk]\* Common Nighthawk
- Common Poorwill
- Chuck-will's-widow
- Eastern Whip-poor-will [Mexican Whip-poor-will]\*

## SWIFTS

#### HUMMINGBIRDS

- Mexican Violetear\* Rivoli's Hummingbird\* Ruby-throated Hummingbird Black-chinned Hummingbird Anna's Hummingbird\*
- Calliope Hummingbird Rufous Hummingbird
- \_\_\_\_\_ Allen's Hummingbird\*
- Broad-tailed Hummingbird
- Broad-billed Hummingbird\*

#### RAILS, GALLINULES

- King Rail
   Virginia Rail
   Sora
   Common Gallinule
   American Coot
   Purple Gallinule
- Yellow Rail
- Black Rail

#### LIMPKINS

\_\_\_\_\_ Limpkin

#### CRANES

Sandhill Crane Common Crane\* Whooping Crane

#### STILTS, AVOCETS

Black-necked Stilt American Avocet

#### PLOVERS

- Black-bellied Plover American Golden-Plover
- Killdeer
- Semipalmated Plover
- Piping Plover
- [Wilson's Plover]\* Mountain Plover
- \_\_\_\_ Nountain Plove

### SANDPIPERS

- Upland Sandpiper
   Whimbrel
   Long-billed Curlew
   Hudsonian Godwit
   Marbled Godwit
   Ruddy Turnstone
   Red Knot
   Ruff\*
   Stilt Sandpiper
   Curlew Sandpiper\*
   Bed packed Stiptt
- Red-necked Stint\*
- Dunlin
- Purple Sandpiper\*
- Baird's Sandpiper
- \_\_\_\_ Little Stint\*

- Least Sandpiper White-rumped Sandpiper Buff-breasted Sandpiper Pectoral Sandpiper Semipalmated Sandpiper Western Sandpiper Short-billed Dowitcher Long-billed Dowitcher American Woodcock Wilson's Snipe Spotted Sandpiper Solitary Sandpiper Lesser Yellowlegs Willet Spotted Redshank\* **Greater Yellowlegs** Wilson's Phalarope
- Red-necked Phalarope
- Red Phalarope

# JAEGERS

Pomarine Jaeger\*
Parasitic Jaeger
Long-tailed Jaeger\*

#### ALCIDS

\_\_\_\_ Long-billed Murrelet\*

#### GULLS

Black-legged Kittiwake Sabine's Gull Bonaparte's Gull Black-headed Gull Little Gull Ross's Gull\* Laughing Gull Franklin's Gull Short-billed Gull **Ring-billed Gull** California Gull Herring Gull Iceland Gull Lesser Black-backed Gull [Glaucous-winged Gull]\* Glaucous Gull Great Black-backed Gull

#### TERNS

Least Tern Gull-billed Tern\* Caspian Tern Black Tern Common Tern [Arctic Tern]\* Forster's Tern Royal Tern\*

# SKIMMERS

Black Skimmer'

#### LOONS

- \_\_\_ Red-throated Loon \_\_\_ Pacific Loon
- Common Loon Yellow-billed Loon\*

#### STORKS Wood Stork

- FRIGATEBIRDS
- \_\_\_\_ Magnificent Frigatebird\*

#### BOOBIES

- \_\_\_\_ Brown Booby\*
- DARTERS
- \_\_\_\_ Anhinga

### CORMORANTS

- Double-crested Cormorant Neotropic Cormorant
- \_ Neotropic Cormorant

# PELICANS

American White Pelican Brown Pelican

#### HERONS

- American Bittern
- Great Blue Heron
- Great Egret
- Snowy Egret
- Little Blue Heron
- Tricolored Heron
- \_\_\_\_ Reddish Egret\*
- Cattle Egret
- Green Heron
- Black-crowned Night-Heron Yellow-crowned Night-Heron
- \_\_\_\_ Yellow-crowne

#### IBISES

- \_\_\_\_ White Ibis Glossy Ibis
- White-faced Ibis
  - Roseate Spoonbill

# VULTURES

Black Vulture Turkey Vulture

# OSPREY, HAWKS, KITES,

- EAGLES
- \_\_\_\_Osprey
  - White-tailed Kite\* Swallow-tailed Kite
- Golden Eagle
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- \_\_\_\_ American Goshawk
- Bald Eagle
- Mississippi Kite
- Harris's Hawk\*
- Gray Hawk\*

\_\_\_\_\_ Red-shouldered Hawk

Acadian Flycatcher

Alder Flycatcher

Willow Élycatcher Least Flycatcher

Gray Flycatcher\*

Dusky Flycatcher

Black Phoebe\* Eastern Phoebe

Sav's Phoebe

VIREOS

SHRIKES

Western Flycatcher

Vermilion Flycatcher

Black-capped Vireo\*

Yellow-throated Vireo

White-eved Vireo

Bell's Vireo

Gray Vireo\*

Cassin's Vireo

Blue-headed Vireo

Plumbeous Vireo

Warbling Vireo

Red-eyed Vireo

Northern Shrike

JAYS. MAGPIES. CROWS

Pinyon Jay

Blue Jay

Steller's Jay

Mexican Jay\*

Clark's Nutcracker

American Crow

Fish Crow

Black-billed Magpie

Chihuahuan Raven

Carolina Chickadee

Mountain Chickadee

[Juniper Titmouse]\*

Tufted Titmouse

\_\_\_\_ Horned Lark

Bank Swallow

Tree Swallow

Purple Martin

Barn Swallow

Violet-green Swallow

N. Rough-winged Swallow

LARKS

SWALLOWS

Black-capped Chickadee

Common Raven

CHICKADEES. TITMICE

Philadelphia Vireo

Loggerhead Shrike

Woodhouse's Scrub-Jay

Hammond's Flycatcher

Cliff Swallow

Cave Swallow

Ruby-crowned Kinglet

Bohemian Waxwing

Cedar Waxwing

Pygmy Nuthatch

Brown Creeper

**GNATCATCHERS** 

Rock Wren

Canvon Wren\*

Bewick's Wren

Carolina Wren

House Wren

Pacific Wren\*

Winter Wren

Sedge Wren

Marsh Wren

Gray Catbird

Brown Thrasher

Sage Thrasher

\_\_\_\_ European Starling

Eastern Bluebird

Western Bluebird\*

Mountain Bluebird

Townsend's Solitaire

Gray-cheeked Thrush

Swainson's Thrush

Hermit Thrush

Wood Thrush

Varied Thrush

American Robin

Curve-billed Thrasher

Northern Mockingbird

THRASHERS

STARLINGS

THRUSHES

Veery

SILKY-FLYCATCHERS

\_ Phainopepla\*

Golden-crowned Kinalet

Red-breasted Nuthatch

White-breasted Nuthatch

Brown-headed Nuthatch\*

Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

BUSHTITS

KINGLETS

WAXWINGS

NUTHATCHES

CREEPERS

WRENS

Bushtit

- \_\_\_\_\_ Broad-winged Hawk Swainson's Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Rough-legged Hawk Ferruginous Hawk

# BARN OWLS

Barn Owl

#### OWLS

- [Flammulated Owl]\*
- Western Screech-Owl\* Eastern Screech-Owl

Snowy Owl

Barred Owl

KINGFISHERS

WOODPECKERS

Burrowing Owl

Long-eared Owl

Short-eared Owl

Belted Kingfisher

Lewis's Woodpecker

Red-headed Woodpecker

Red-bellied Woodpecker

Williamson's Sapsucker\*

Yellow-bellied Sapsucker

Amer. Three-toed Woodpecker\*

Ladder-backed Woodpecker

Red-naped Sapsucker

Downy Woodpecker

Hairy Woodpecker

Crested Caracara\*

American Kestrel

Peregrine Falcon

Ash-throated Flycatcher

Great Crested Flycatcher

Scissor-tailed Flycatcher

Fork-tailed Flycatcher\*

Olive-sided Flycatcher

Western Wood-Pewee

Eastern Wood-Pewee

Yellow-bellied Flycatcher

Prairie Falcon

Great Kiskadee\*

Piratic Flycatcher\*

Cassin's Kingbird

Western Kingbird

Eastern Kingbird

Pileated Woodpecker

Northern Flicker

FALCONS

Merlin

FLYCATCHERS

Gyrfalcon\*

Northern Saw-whet Owl

Great Horned Owl